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This paper is a request for a continuation under 37 CFR §1.53(d) of:

Applicant:

Title: LIGHT-RADIATING SEMICONDUCTOR COMPONENT WITH A
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Prior U.S. application no: 09/221,789
Filing Date: December 28, 1998

The prior application was complete as defined by 37 CFR §1.51(b), or was a national stage of an international application filed in compliance with 35 USC §371.

This request for a CPA is the reference to the prior application noted above as required by 35 USC §120. Kindly abandon the prior application in favor of the continued proceedings that are requested herein.

The prior application is assigned of record to Osram Opto Semiconductors GmbH & Co. OHG, a German corporation, by virtue of an assignment submitted to the Patent and Trademark Office and recorded on December 7, 2000, at Reel 011356, Frame 0397.

Enclosures:

- Petition for Three-Month Extension of Time, with enclosed \$890 check;
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The entire disclosure of the prior application is part of this application and is incorporated by reference.

Basic filing fee	\$710
Total claims in excess of 20 times \$18	\$198
Independent claims in excess of 3 times \$80	\$0
Fee for multiple dependent claims	\$0
Total filing fee:	\$908

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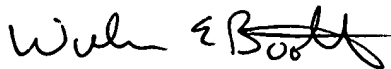
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Petitioner's CPA (8/15/01) was treated as an RCE. However, RCE was improper.

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